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THE BRITISH ARMY AND THE PARALYSIS IN BRITISH POLITICS.

Historians of civilisation inform us how there come over periods in the life of a nation when it is bound to advance or to stagnate. Looking from the intense apathy present in England, it would seem that that country is passing through a period of stagnation or inertia, after having had a spell well nigh for half a century of progress in its political affairs which may be undoubtedly ascribed to the influence of advancing democracy. The spectacle is to be witnessed of a Government with a strong majority at its back, almost wholly paralysed to meet the new emergency created by the ill-fated sanguinary struggle going on for the last two years in South Africa. Here is a nation, which is still master of the world's trade, with an annual income estimated by its most careful economists at about 1,600 millions sterling, and which has already spent two hundred millions like water, into face with a war unparalleled in its history for the number of the troops employed and for the distance of the scene of action from the mother country, but for the time being absolutely helpless to extricate itself from it with anything approaching to practical statesmanship. At first, there was a great unpreparedness which, in any struggle with a great Continental Power, might have proved fatal. Then came the want of strategy on the part of its ablest generals to cope with the remarkable mobility which the foe uniformly displayed. Later on, it was found that the number of troops were totally inadequate for the warfare that had to be waged. A number unprecedented in the entire military history of the country had eventually to be sent on foreign service. When men and money were unobtainably supplied and tolerable success secured to British arms, defects after defects were discovered by independent persons on the spot in the commissariat and hospital arrangements connected with the forces. As if these were not enough, there came the dire imperfections in the art of modern military warfare itself. And to crown the whole series of bungles, there have been the reverses of the last few weeks, reverses inflicted by a brave foe counting only a few insignificant thousands compared with the hundreds of thousands sent by the nation at immense national sacrifices! The people are now loudly inveighing against the state of affairs disclosed. Here is a government, lately returned to power with a strong majority, consisting of some men with a will of their own and a force of character which have been the theme of eulogy; with no opposition to hamper their action; but so paralysed as to be perfectly helpless to meet the crisis created by the action of its own selected agents at home and on the battlefield!

The English people are greatly indignant at this helplessness of the Government. Experienced and well-informed correspondents are not slow day after day to point out the several defects in the army. In fact, there is a universal chorus for a radical reform therein. Even before the date of the Buller explosion, the nation had grown exceedingly impatient of the utter listlessness and inertia of the Government to do the right thing. A most graphic but faithful account of the situation was given in a paper which has generally very little to do with politics. When such an organ of public opinion, almost wholly devoted to the treatment of economic and financial topics, was constrained to raise its voice against the prevailing apathy, some idea of the intensity of the enraged national feeling may be gathered. In its issue of 29th September last, the *Statist* observed in the very first sentence of its article on the subject that 'the most discouraging symptom at the present time is the apathy of the public and the partisanship, flattery and cowardice of the Press.' Mr. Gibson Bowles and Mr. Winston Churchill, besides a host of correspondents, have proved all this to the hilt. And now Mr. Maclean, has followed suit in the *Westminster Gazette*. But the *Statist* in most vigorous terms anticipated him. So, too, did its elder contemporary, the *Economist*. This paper observed: 'the Government will make a serious mistake if they underestimate the annoyance with which the country receives tidings of such disasters as have recently been reported from South Africa.' There is a growing suspicion of mismanagement which has at least this *prima facie* justification that the Government has in South Africa a force exceeding the whole of the adult male Dutch population, sup-

plied with every necessary and with the sea as its ultimate base, yet unable either to destroy or capture ten or twelve thousand Boers, who are very poorly supplied, who by no means fight as valiantly as they are, and who are, it is believed, under no general direction. The disparity of force is wonderful, yet it seems to have no effect. It is superfluous to make any commentary on this description which every right-minded person will admit to be extremely faithful. What may it be then owing to this deplorable condition of affairs and this impotency of so many British generals in the field to bring a speedy termination of the struggle? Is it possible to conceive that the British army is so wholly disorganised, and we may add, demoralised, as to be unable to make a serious head against the handful of Boers? It is astonishing an army of 200,000 against 12,000! What a humiliating spectacle is this that is presented to the great military powers of Europe? The *Statist* tauntingly observes that 'during, and for some short time after, the war between Spain and the United States we could none of us find language scornful enough of the Spaniards because the criminal neglect of all governments and all parties did not rouse them to make an end of a state of things which had destroyed Spain's navy and deprived her of her colonies. Yet we look on in cold blood while Ministers are dragging the honour and interests of the country in the dirt. There is hardly a mistake or a neglect which they have not committed! But in spite of the facts which are daily accumulating and deriving fresh strength from independent correspondents, there is to be discerned nothing but inaction on the part of the Ministry! A strong government might have long since remedied this discreditable state of affairs, in the face of even a powerful Opposition. But the Opposition is nowhere. It is in a condition of what Disraeli once called 'atomic globules.' Thus the path of Lord Salisbury and Mr. Chamberlain is clear. And yet, unopposed as they are, they have been able to achieve nothing which might allay popular indignation and excitement, which reached its boiling point the other day when it demanded the dismissal of Sir Redvers Buller. Says the *Statist*: 'Everybody is anxious to see the "old gang" completely swept away. The public does not know to whom to turn.' In the sentence we have emphasised lies the utter helplessness of the great and powerful British nation at the present moment.—*Kaiser-I-Hind*.

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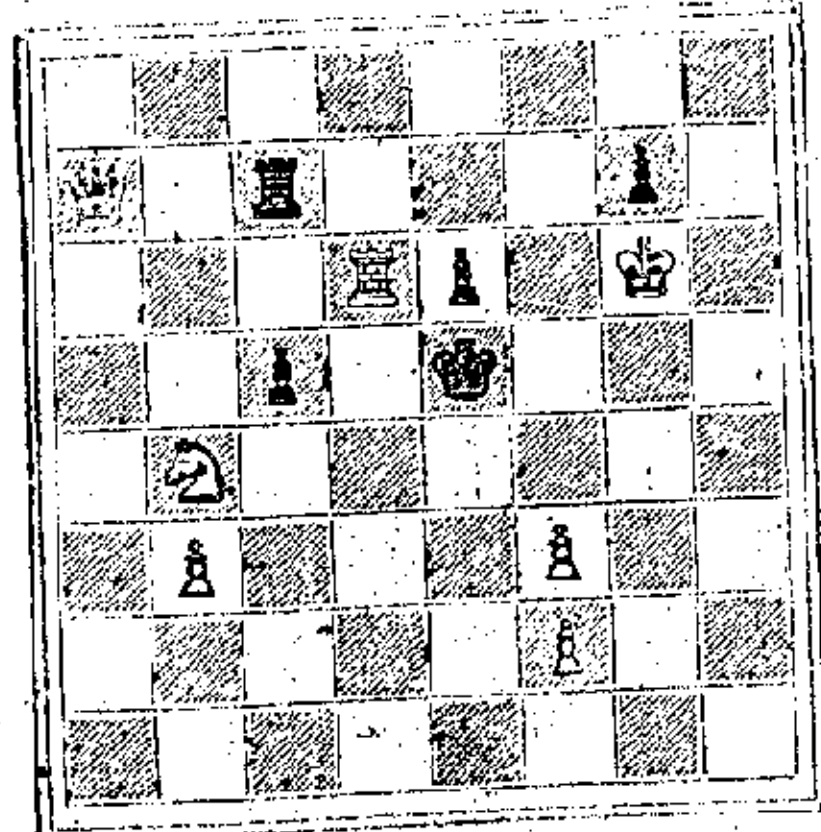
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1 B-Q4, K-B3; 2 B-B3, K-Kt4;
3 B-Q7.1 B-Q4, K-B3; 2 B-B3, K-Kt4;
3 B-Q7.1 B-Q4, K-B3; 2 B-B3, K-Kt4;
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2 Kt-KB3	Kt-QB3
3 B-Kt5	P-QR3
4 R-R4	P-QR4
5 B-Kt5	Kt-Q5
6 Kt-Kt6	P-Kt3
7 Castles	Q-R5
8 P-QB4 (h)	Kt-B3
9 P-K5	Kt-Rt5
10 P-R3	P-KR4
11 P-P3	R-Q6 (e)
12 Q-B2	B-B4
13 Q-P3 (d)	K-Q5
14 Q-KtP	B-Pch (e)
15 K-R5	Q-Pch
16 P-Q	B-Kt2 ch

Mate next move.

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Dr. Korchmar.	R. Charousek.
1 P-K4	P-K4
2 Kt-QB3	Kt-KB3
3 P-B4	P-Q4
4 FxP	KxP
5 Kt-B3	B-QKt5
6 B-K2 (e)	P-QB3
7 Castles (h)	Q-Kt3 ch
8 P-Q4 (e)	Kt-Kt
9 P-Kt	BxP
10 B-R3 (d)	BxK
11 Q-P3	B-K3
12 R-Kt5	Q-B2
13 B-Q6	Q-Q2
14 Q-R2	P-QKt3
15 Kt-K5	B-Kt5
16 B-Q3	P-B3
17 R-KBsq	P-K5
18 BxP	K-Q5
19 B-Kt6	B-K3
20 Q-R3	K-B5
21 P-Kt4	K-Kt2

Resigns.

Blackburne, the English Master, has
been playing blindfold chess again with his
usual success. The game reproduced below
from the Morning Post is not one of his
blindfold efforts, but it will serve as a fair(a) A bad move. 6. Q-K2, B-Kt; 7.
Q-P takes B. Castles; 8. B-K3 is the right
continuation.(b) Castling obviously involves the loss
of the exchange. White could strike a
better bargain in giving up the exchange
as follows:-

7 P-QR3	Q-R4
8 PxB	QxR
9 Kt-Kt	PxKt
10 Kt-Kt	B-B4
11 B-P4	B-Kt3
12 Castles	Castles
13 P-K6	with a winning attack.

Consequently, 7... Q-R4 in the above
variation is not good, and he would have
to play 7... B-R4, whereupon 8. P-Q
Kt4, Kt takes Kt; 9. PxKt, B-Kt3;
10. B-Kt5, followed by Q-Q2 and B-
K5, and then Castles, with a defensible
game.(c) In giving up the QR he loses also a
Pawn, therefore K-Rsq., Kt-B7, ch.,
9. RxKt, would only have lost the ex-
change.(d) White keeps up with this and the
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BIRTHS.
On the 2nd November, at No. 12, Han-kow Road, Shanghai, the Wife of CHAS. RUDOLPH, of a Daughter.
At Tientsin, on the 25th November, the Wife of W. M. HOWELL, of a Son.

DEATHS.
On the 12th October, at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. L. WAGNER, Berwyn, Illinois, U.S.A., OLIVER CORREA LESLIE, formerly of Shanghai.
On the 23rd November, at the General Hospital, Shanghai, OTTO BORUS JAKOBSEN, late Cook, a.s. *Ulbrand*; aged 21 years.

The publication of this issue commenced at 5.00 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1901.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

We reproduce in another column an article from the *Kaiser-I-Hind*, the work, we believe, of a Parsee editor, not because we agree with all the article contains but because it serves to show those of our readers who have no other means of learning Indian native opinion how the educated native of India regards the slow progress of the war in South Africa and the present state of politics in England. If there is dissatisfaction in England over the conduct of the war operations, where a large section of people is aware of the enormous difficulties Lord Kitchener has to contend with, it is not at all surprising that a feeling of uneasy wonderment is spreading among the native races of India whether the star of Britain is now on the wane. It will be a serious blow to Great Britain when the people of India lose faith in her power. Prestige counts for much more with the natives, educated and uneducated alike, than with European peoples. The well-written article we reproduce takes a very impartial and sober view of the situation, but under it all is a tincture of lack of faith in British vitality, and we have no manner of doubt the editor reflects the general feeling among his compatriots. There are many reasons why the South African campaign should be pushed to a speedy conclusion, even should the action of the British Government be considered somewhat harsh, by Continental critics, and not the least important of those reasons is the effect the prolongation of the war is producing on the minds of our native subjects in India and elsewhere.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Contractor Goes to Prison.
At the Magistrate's today, Cheung Fat, contractor, was fined \$100, with the alternative of three months' imprisonment, for negligently blasting stone, at Leighton Hill Road, without taking the necessary precautions to effectually prevent fragments of stone being projected into the air. He preferred to go to prison.

Determined Suicide in Manila Bay.

Thomas Brown, able seaman on board the British barque *Kelvedale*, committed suicide on board that vessel in Manila Bay on the 22nd November. He had been confined in the fore-cabin by order of the captain of the ship, whose name is also Brown, for threatening to kill certain persons on board the *Kelvedale*. His wrists were ironed, but he was allowed the use of his legs. In some unexplainable manner he managed to tie a stout rope to a bolt projecting from the wall above the bench on which he was sitting. His next move was to tie a slip noose with his deft sailor fingers and encircle his neck with the hemp. He then slipped from the bench, and in his manner secured slightly over two feet drop that was sufficient to cause his death by strangulation. When discovered by a sailor, the greater part of his body was stretched full length on the floor, but the head was held by the rope in nearly an upright position about two feet from the floor. His features were composed, and there were no apparent signs of a struggle or agony suffered. From his position it was evident that he desired to regain the bench after he touched the floor, it would have been impossible to do so, as his manacled arms were in front of his body.

Lady Tourist (doing the cathedrals of Scotland): This is Gothic, isn't it John? Juvenile Vendor of 'Guides' (severely): 'No, mum; this is Presbyterian.'

TO THE PUBLIC.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Notes by the Way.
English schools are in favour at Nan-chang in Kiangsi.

It is intended to introduce one-cent copper cash at Shanghai.

It is stated that General Hughes is returning to the United States at an early date.

The lekin on tea, paper, porcelain and wood ware in Kiangsi is to be fanned out for one year.

It is rumored that the Chinese are to get Japanese advisers to assist them in army and civil reform.

A Filipino murderer has had his sentence of death commuted to one of penal servitude for thirty years.

Mr A. Klione is transferred from Amoy to Ningpo, where he will be Tide Surveyor and Harbour Master.

The Moros of Mindanao, who gave the Spaniards so much trouble, have declared themselves opposed to American rule.

It is proposed to place steam launches on the Peking Lake to keep down smuggling and piracy, the old-fashioned war junks being discarded.

Mr Thomas Jacob, land surveyor, Public Works Department, died last night at Government Civil Hospital. He suffered from a lung disease, which ultimately proved fatal. Deceased was a native of Ceylon, and a very capable man at his business.

Hongkong Christian Union.

The special attention of members and friends is called to the fact that the prayer meeting, on Monday evening next, will be held in Union Church Hall at 5.15, instead of the City Hall. The Rev. C. Bone will preside.

A Growl from Shanghai.

It is stated that the torpedo-boat destroyer *Handy*, which left Shanghai on the 28th November, with the gunboat *Daphne*, for Hongkong, had orders to proceed to her destination at the rate of seven knots, this being, apparently, the *Daphne's* economical speed. This is all very well for a racing vessel like the *Daphne* (says the *N.O. Daily News*) but it seems a great mistake to condemn a vessel like the *Handy*, which is not a bad-weather craft, to a voyage of five days, when she could readily do it in two days. It is to be presumed that there are reasons for the order which the lay mind is unable to appreciate.

Launch.

On Thursday night, 29th inst., Messrs W. S. Bailey and Co. launched from their works in Kowloon Bay a Steam Water and Cargo Boat to the order of Messrs Leopold Spatz and Co., agents for Mr M. S. Figueras, of Manila. The vessel is fully equipped with powerful pump, sluices, bulkheads, etc., and is designed to carry either water or ordinary cargo. She is propelled by compound surface condensing engines giving a speed of 7½ knots per hour, and is intended for service in Manila. The present vessel is a duplicate of one recently built by Messrs Bailey and Co. for another Manila firm.

Gold at Punjom.

We are informed by the Secretary of the Punjom Mining Co., Ltd., that the following telegram was received from the Mines on the 7th November:—
'We have struck gold-bearing quartz in the Swah tunnel, cannot yet state quantity.'
Under date of 8th November, the Manager at the Mines, Mr. Lester, in written confirmation of this telegram, advises: 'That the stone was cut on Wednesday morning, and was 18 inches thick, appearing to widen out a little under foot. The stone is of a soft nature, and free gold can be seen; the prospects by dish-washing range from 1 dw. to 1 oz. per ton.'
On the 29th of November, the following telegram was received from the Mines: 'Prospects warrant Tramway, order at once.'
A trial, crushing of 70 tons of surface dirt from the Swah district yielded close upon 4 dw. of gold to the ton.

Alleged Bigamy.

At the Magistrate's yesterday afternoon, before Mr F. A. Hazell, Frederick Gilbert Hanson, was charged with bigamy. The indictment set forth that he married a Portuguese girl named Lucas whilst his former wife, Minnie Hanson, was still alive in England. The second marriage took place in the Registrar's office at the Supreme Court on 1st December, 1900. A plea of not guilty was tendered, and the case was remanded, no application being made for bail. The accused is a smart-looking man of about 35 years of age. He was formerly a sergeant in the Royal Engineers, and on leaving his corps here, took up a position as overseer in the employ of Messrs Butterfield and Swire. Since then, he has had employment in different capacities under the Public Works Department and under a Chinese contractor in the Colony. He was arrested on Thursday night, in his own house, by Sergeant Morrison, acting on instructions given by Chief Detective Inspector Hanson.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Notes from Nippon.
The fire by which the Oriental Hotel at Yokohama was burnt started in the tailor's shop adjoining the hotel.

A Japanese paper says that the N. Y. K. propose to fix armaments on several of their vessels on their European line.

The Japanese Emperor was prevented by a cold from attending the ghymsanthemum garden party at the palace, Tokio, on the 19th November.

A syndicate of American sugar manufacturers has purchased an enormous bulk of this season's sugar in Germany, causing an advance in the price.

The Japanese Government Iron Foundry at Yawatanuchi, near Wakamatsu, was formally opened by Prince Fushimi, on behalf of the Emperor, on the 18th November.

In reference to the burning of the Oriental Hotel, Yokohama, the *Japan Mail* says:—We understand that insurance lines on the Oriental Hotel totals yen 150,000, borne by about six companies, of which the Norwich Union (Messrs. Barter's agency) carry yen 50,000; while other companies interested are the London Assurance, the Commercial Union, Manchester, and Atlas.

Madame Freed.

Madame Freed, whose fine voice was heard to great advantage in the St. George's Hall a few nights ago, will sing Cohen's 'Come unto me' after Evening in St. John's Cathedral to-morrow. Mr A. G. Ward, the Cathedral organist, who has just returned from holiday, will accompany on the organ.—We may state that all the arrangements have been completed for Madame Freed's concert at the Peak Hotel on the night of Tuesday next. Seats should be secured early.

An Echo from Shanghai.

How catholic Shanghai is in the matter of languages (says the *N.O. Daily News*) is shown by the following Express which was circulated from this office on Saturday:—

CALENDONIAN BA.
Subscribers and their friends are invited to the Real Practice at the Toot Ha' the night at 5 o'clock. There'll be Reels, Strathspeys, Four-somes, Aughtsomes, Flings, Hi-lan Schottisches, and Caledonians, as there's a guid wheen folk dinna ken them yet. Forebye there might be aye or two waltzes, lancers, and other foreign dances for the benefit of the uninitiated. Dinna forget noo, 5 o'clock sharp. This invitation was widely accepted.

The Chinese Armoury.

On the 23rd November, according to the *N.O. Daily News*, there were tried at the testing butts of the Kiangnan Arsenal some fifteen newly-made quick-firing guns recently constructed there, amongst which were 6-inch and 4-inch guns; twenty pounders and twelve pounders. The result of the tests was highly successful, and it is stated that urgent orders have been received by Mao Tootai, the Chief Commissioner of the Kiangnan Arsenal, from the Viceroy of the Liangkang, Hukuang, and Chihli, and the Governors of Shantung, Hounan, and Chihliang, to construct large numbers of similar quick-firing guns, with accompanying smokeless powder shot and shell, in view of the reorganising and re-arming of the forces of the nine provinces concerned.

The Shanghai Cricketers.

The *N.O. Daily News* of the 25th November says:—Precisely at noon on Saturday the well-named *Victoria* came up to the P. and O. jetty, bringing back from Hongkong the champions of Shanghai. At the mast-head floated the flag of the Shanghai Cricket Club with that of the Hongkong Cricket Club below it; the Straits team, we understand, did not run to a flag. Before the tender was made fast, three ringing cheers and a tiger were given by the large crowd on the pontoon and the lawn adjoining, and greetings of the victors by their friends and admirers were hearty and prolonged. On Saturday night some sixty of their friends entertained the team at dinner at the Shanghai Club, the veteran cricketer, Mr. A. P. Wood, being in the chair. Mr. Wood proposed the health of the winners, Mr. Farbridge, the captain, replying for cricket, Mr. White for tennis, and Mr. Lambing for swimming, and with toast and song a very joyful evening was passed.

If a man could enjoy laughing at himself, he would have plenty of amusement.

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TELEGRAMS.

CHINESE COURT POLITICS.

EMPEROR-DOWAGER ILL.

The Report Confirmed.
(From Our Own Correspondent.)
SHANGHAI, Nov. 30, 11.30 a.m.

Private advices from Kaifeng-fu report that the Empress-Dowager is sick, and unable to travel.

The report is officially confirmed by Prince Ching.

[REUTERS SERVICE.]
LONDON, 28th November, 1901.

SOUTH AFRICA.

The Enemy's Forces.

The Pretoria correspondent of the *Times* says there are still seventy recognized Boer commandos in the field, 26 being in the Transvaal, 31 in the Orange River Colony, and 13 in the Cape Colony. The task of capturing these must necessarily be slow. It is further stated that Lord Kitchener's striking arm will presently be 45,000 men only.

PLAGUE AT HONOLULU.

There are ten cases of plague at Honolulu.

THE CAPTURE OF MISS STONE.

LONDON, 28th November, 1901.

A report has reached the Turkish authorities that Miss Stone, the American missionary lady captured by Bulgarian brigands has succumbed to the hardships she has had to endure, and that the brigands have dispersed.

A FRENCH LOAN.

The French Chamber has passed the bill for the proposed loan against the security of the Chinese indemnity.

FURTHER EMBODIMENT OF MILITIA.

Four more battalions of Militia have been embodied.

[DER OSTERREICHISCHE LOTTO SERVICE.]

MR CHAMBERLAIN AND HIS GERMAN CRITICS.

BERLIN, November 22.
Mr Chamberlain has very considerably modified his statement in which he compared the British troops in South Africa and the German troops in the War of 1870-71. These explanations have evoked fresh protests in Germany and demands that the German Government shall enter a protest in London against Mr Chamberlain's statements. On this the German Government officially explained that there is a vast distinction between Mr Chamberlain and the British Government. 'We cannot take steps officially in the matter of this demand,' the note goes on to say: 'the German army stands too high in the estimation of the whole civilised world to be affected by false and indiscreet comparisons.'

ANARCHISM.

The Governments of the Great Powers are consulting together as to improvements in the police supervision of the anarchist element.

News from the Philippines.

The St Andrew's Society gives a ball in the Ermita Club to-night.

It is feared the coasting steamer *Alerta* is lost with upwards of 100 lives.

General Samson offering to surrender the revolt in Bohol is nearing an end.

A severe epidemic of smallpox, has broken out a Tacloban, Leyte—five deaths daily.

It is reported that Monsignor Sharetti has been nominated by the Papal See as Apostolic Delegate to the Philippines in place of Monsignor Chappelle, recalled some time ago.

The Naval distilling ship *Iris* is reported ashore at Iloilo. When latest news reached Manila, she had been on the reef three days, and the flagship *New York* left Cavite at once to her assistance.

An action has been entered in regard to the estate of the martyred Dr Rizal. His widow, now Mrs Abad, asserts that Rizal made a will leaving all his property to her unconditionally, but the will is missing.

The West Point football team has beaten Pennsylvania University by 24 points to nil. The West Pointers are evidently a strong lot this season, as they have already beaten Franklin and Marshall, Trinity, Williams, and Pennsylvania, drawn with Yale and Princeton, and gone down before Harvard only, and then by 6 points to nil. They play Annapolis to-day (30th November).

ST ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

The Annual Ball.

As St. Andrew's Day fell on a Saturday this year, the members of the Hongkong St. Andrew's Society decided to hold their annual Ball—the leading event of the social season—on the eve of the Saint's day; hence it was that the clans gathered in the City Hall last night to entertain in friendly fashion those unfortunate folk who cannot claim Scottish parentage and descent. We are told continually that the world is growing smaller; that racial distinctions are being broken down and effaced, that provincial patriotism is disappearing as men become in a new sense 'men of the world'; but, to their honour be it said, the brave sons and fair daughters of Scotland, proud of their motherland, carry with them to the uttermost parts of the earth that glowing spirit of national patriotism which no condition or circumstance of time or place can quench, and keep alive that love of country which is one of the outstanding traits of Scottish character. Here in Hongkong, on the other side of the hemisphere, they assemble annually to identify themselves with the land they love. Greater Britain is being welded into one homogeneous empire, but may the day be far distant when the component parts of that great Empire allow their local individuality to be effaced.

'Breathes there a man with soul so dead Who never to himself hath said This is my own, my native land?' asked the poet many years ago, and the reply arises to-day from all ends of the earth—for the Scotsman is a great traveller—to assure the poet that no true Scotsman is so base. They are all proud of the 'land of brown heath and shaggy wood.' Deep down in the hearts of each one, no matter where the tide of prosperity carries him, there is cherished a memory of some sweet sequestered nook dearer to him than all other places on the face of this bountiful earth, and he likes, in fancy, to turn to it when stirred by the higher emotions.

It is fitting that the day of their patron Saint should be made the occasion of Scottish gatherings abroad. 'It is a way to make us better friends,' as the great English poet has phrased it. In Hongkong, the St. Andrew's Ball has always been a brilliant function. Although the Society exists for charitable purposes mainly, it is a proud boast that this side of its usefulness is not much in evidence. This is probably the reason why it cultivates the social side so successfully, and as practice makes perfect we think all nationalities will admit that Scotsmen have little to learn from their neighbours in the art of entertaining. With all the clans combining under the genial Chieftainship of the Hon. T. H. Whitehead, it is superfluous to say that the great Scottish gathering of the year in no single feature showed any loss of vitality or any falling off from previous efforts. Decorations, music, supper and other creature comforts, the brilliancy of the scene, as uniforms in scarlet and gold and blue and gold mingled with the tints and sentiments of the dresses of the fair sex—all combined to make the ball of 1901 fit to rank with the finest and most successful of past years. Unfortunately, the suite of rooms in the City Hall buildings, spacious though they be, is not large enough for the convenience of the dancers. Doubtless, the sudden change in the weather kept some away, but nevertheless there must have been nearly 1200 members and guests present at the ball, and consequently it required more than average skill to steer a safe course through the mazy whirlpool.

This year, the decorations were not so elaborate in detail as in some former years, but it was subject of general remark that the Decoration Committee had produced exceedingly pretty and effective results. The crimson carpeted entrance hall, flanked by greenery festooned pillars, was brilliantly illuminated by decorative jets of electricity, and the broad central staircase was bedecked with palms and rare and beautiful plants. Upon the mid landing, elaborate decoration was bestowed. A large mirror, which lent immensity to the picture, was surmounted by an emblematic thistle picked out in colour by electric lights. This was flanked by the Royal and Scottish Standards, and surrounded by a booky armour in which glittered various-coloured fairy lamps. The dates 1847 and 1901 reminded guests that the Society's existence was coincident with the birth of the Colony. Peeping out of the foliage were two brilliantly burnished howitzers, and reflected from the mirror were an embossed trophy of bayonets and a magnificent Royal stag's head. Uniformity of design, with notable differences in elaboration, was observed in the embellishment of the suite of dancing and retiring rooms. The arms of seventy-two chiefs of Scottish clans were displayed on the walls, surrounded by trophies of national dogs. The clans represented were—McDonnell of Glenary, Fraser, Drummond, Sinclair, MacLean, MacGregor, MacKay, Skene, MacIntosh, MacCall, MacNab, MacBeau, MacFarlane, Stewart, MacNicol, Campbell of Argyll, MacRimmon, MacLaren, Ferguson, Ross, MacKenzie, MacUlrich, Urquhart, MacLachlan, Cameron of Lochell, Ross, Buchanan, Gunn, MacFife, MacDonnell, Glencoe, Munro, MacKinnon, Matheson, Farquharson, Gordon, MacQuarrie, Davidson, Macdonald of Clan Ranald, Campbell of Lohor, Grant, Lamond, Chisholm, MacLennan, MacDonnell, MacLennan, Gra-

ham, Monies, MacLeod, MacMillan, Ogilvie, Logan, Macdonald of Keppoch, Colquhoun, Macfarlane, MacArthur, Grant of Glenmoriston, MacInnes, Sutherland, Cumie, MacNaughton, Shaw, MacAllister, MacDuff, Forbes, MacRae, Murray, MacNeil, MacGillivray, MacPherson, Macdonald of the Isles, and Robertson.

The doorway and windows of the hall rooms were draped with white lace curtains, and in each room there was a fringe of greenery. In St. Andrew's Hall, at the east end of a large painting of the Patron Saint was enshrined in a little forest of evergreens surrounded and surrounded by trophies and clan crests. In St. George's Hall, the beautiful painting of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria was draped by British and American flags, a combination in hunting meet with in other parts of the building. In the sitting-out room, an excellent portrait of late Hon. Phineas Ryrie, for many years the Society's President, was prominently displayed. The stage of the Theatre was covered for the nonce into a charmingly arranged room.

In the rear was a large reproduction of the Royal coat of arms, and in the inner portion of the large horseshoe table, at which the President and principal guests partook of supper, was a massive collection of tropical and sub-tropical exotics. Mr. W. G. Jack, as Chairman of the Entertainment Committee, deserves the highest commendation for the chaste simplicity and effectiveness of the decorations, but he obtained the most valuable assistance from Mr. A. G. Ewing, Mr. C. W. Alexander, Mr. Gordon Ogilvie, Mr. J. H. S. Stewart, Mr. J. Kirkwood, Mr. W. Armstrong, Mr. J. D. Dickie, and Captain Milroy, and others.

Shortly after nine o'clock, His Excellency the Governor appeared on the scene, and was welcomed at the doorway by Hon. T. H. Whitehead, the President of the Society, and escorted by three stalwart pipers (McEwan, in the Mackenzie tartan, and two others in the Society's tartan) to St. George's Hall. Immediately afterwards, the fine band of the Royal Welch Fusiliers struck up the strains to a set of "Lancers." The President's act was made up as follows:

Hon. T. H. Whitehead and Lady Gosselin, His Excellency the Governor, Sir H. A. Blake, G.C.M.G., and Mrs. Lockhart; His Excellency Sir Cyril A. G. Bridge, K.C.B., and Mrs. Powell; His Excellency Major-General Sir W. Gosselin, K.C.M.G., and Miss Anderson; Hon. J. H. S. Stewart, C.M.G., and Mrs. Richardson; Mr. H. W. Robertson and Mrs. Low; Sir T. Jackson and Mrs. Kidd; Mr. David Gillies and Mrs. Wood. With 500 couples present, the accommodation of both halls was taxed to its utmost. The music, indeed, failed to convey its words, the impression of such a scene. The eye-pictures were continually changing with the grace restlessness of the merry dancers. The programme, given below, was well chosen, the music was excellent, and the floor had been carefully prepared. There were, of course, the usual national dances, and it was matter of general comment that the Highland Reels and Caledonians were never more correctly danced. The Reels and Strathspeys were danced with the customary vim some of the dancers showing considerable variety of 'steps,' while the piper—

Ho blew the pipes and gauged them skirl, Till roof and rafters 'a' did dir.

Appended is the dance programme:

1. Lancers. Guidan Righ.
2. Waltz. Ruman Ruman.
3. Caledonians. An Ceann Gach.
4. Waltz. Eillean's Own's Merry.
5. Highland Reel. An Ceann Gach.
6. Waltz. An Ceann Gach.
7. Caledonians. An Ceann Gach.
8. Strathspey & Reel. An Ceann Gach.
9. Waltz. An Ceann Gach.
10. Highland Reel. An Ceann Gach.
11. Polka. An Ceann Gach.
12. Waltz. An Ceann Gach.
13. Highland Reel. An Ceann Gach.
14. Caledonians. An Ceann Gach.
15. Waltz. An Ceann Gach.
16. Strathspey & Reel. An Ceann Gach.
17. Waltz. An Ceann Gach.
18. Caledonians. An Ceann Gach.
19. Waltz. An Ceann Gach.
20. Caledonians. An Ceann Gach.
21. Waltz. An Ceann Gach.
22. Waltz & Caledonians. An Ceann Gach.

PRESIDENTIAL TO THE SECRETARY.

A pleasing ceremony took place in St. George's Hall immediately before the dance, down to which a handsome silver silver and pretty silver tea service bearing the following inscriptions respectively:

From the Committee of the St. Andrew's Society. The Hon. T. H. Whitehead, President; D. H. Robertson, Vice-President; D. H. Robertson, Vice-President; Hon. J. H. S. Stewart, C.M.G., the Hon. J. D. Dickie, Mr. David Gillies, and Mr. C. W. Alexander, on the occasion of his marriage to Mrs. Gordon Ogilvie, with the best of wishes for their health and happiness.

'Hongkong, 16th October, 1901.'

'DAVID WOOD, Esq.,
From the members of the St. Andrew's Society on the occasion of his marriage to Miss Sophia Milne Boulton, with their warmest and best wishes, and in recognition of his invaluable services as Honorary Secretary of the Society.
'Hongkong, 16th October, 1901.'

The President said:—Your Excellencies, Ladies and Gentlemen—I have the honour and the pleasure on behalf of the St. Andrew's Society to ask Mr. Wood, our indefatigable Secretary, who I am sorry to say is absent, to accept from the members of the Committee and past Presidents and members of the Society a silver tea service on the occasion of his recent marriage to Miss Boulton. We earnestly wish them both a long life of many happy days, fullness, health and prosperity, and I think you will agree with me that it is a position difficult to assume unless you are actually in the position yourself. Another difficulty—it is impossible for me to speak with the feelings Mr. Wood would have if he were here, but I think you will agree with me that it is a position difficult to assume unless you are actually in the position yourself. Another difficulty—it is impossible for me to speak with the feelings Mr. Wood would have if he were here, but I think you will agree with me that it is a position difficult to assume unless you are actually in the position yourself.

Mrs. Wood having graciously accepted the gifts, Hon. J. H. S. Stewart, Colonial Secretary, said:—Mr. Whitehead, I and Gentlemen, at the very last moment, I have been asked to represent Mr. Wood. I feel it is an exceedingly difficult task to perform for two reasons. In the first place, Mr. Wood is in the happy position of being very recently married, and I think you will agree with me that it is a position difficult to assume unless you are actually in the position yourself. Another difficulty—it is impossible for me to speak with the feelings Mr. Wood would have if he were here, but I think you will agree with me that it is a position difficult to assume unless you are actually in the position yourself. Another difficulty—it is impossible for me to speak with the feelings Mr. Wood would have if he were here, but I think you will agree with me that it is a position difficult to assume unless you are actually in the position yourself.

side-board—or my side-board—it is difficult in this case to distinguish between 'room and room' for the admiration of his friends, and I trust that the members of the Society will often have the pleasure of seeing it there. (Applause.)

The first supper table was served at 11.30, covers being laid, by that time of caterers, Mr. Farmer, for 500 people at a time. The theatre was, as usual, the scene of operations, and it presented an admirable spectacle, with its numerous small flower-decked tables, and the mass of shields and greenery with which its walls and pillars were decorated. The platform, on which was the President's table, was decorated with magnificent flowers and pot-plants; a couple of hovers sat at each corner, and for a background there was a painting of the Scottish Coast of Arms. In addition to those already mentioned who took part in the President's table, a number of other guests were seated at the President's table, including Hon. A. G. Ewing and Hon. Mrs. Ewing, Hon. W. Chatham and Mrs. Playfair, Mr. G. C. Anderson and Mrs. C. W. Dickson, Commodore Francis Powell, C.B., and Mrs. Poate.

The following was the Menu:—
'Some has meat and canna eat,
And some had meat and canna eat,
And some had meat and canna eat,
And some had meat and canna eat.'

'We'll tak' a cup o' kindness yet, for auld lang syne.'
Turtle Soup.
Saddle of Mutton.
Roast Turkey. Pork Ham.
Roast Kube Beef. Corned Beef.
Corned Tongue. Roast Capon. Game Pie.
Sheep's Head Pie.
Pâté de Foie Gras à la Jolly.
Lobster Salad. Chicken Salad.
Roast Pheasant. Roast Wild Duck.

THE HAGGAS.
'Fair fa' your honest sonie face,
Great chieftain o' the puddin' race,
Aboun them a' ye tak' your place,
Freedom and whisky gaug' together,
Tak' a' your dram.'

SWEETS.
Gosselin's Tart. Jam Tartlets.
Jellies.
Blanc Meringue.
Vanilla and Chocolate Ice Creams.

SCOTCH SHORTBREAD.

The haggas was hailed with the usual honours. Messrs James Walker and W. C. Jack, two worthy, kilted Highlanders, took in the 'Chieftain o' the Puddin' Race' and the drum, and laid them on the table, three pipers kneeling while the President according to time-honoured custom served with a well-laid glass, which they drained in true Highland fashion, as did every gentleman at the table. The supper was a merry function. In the course of it, the revered name of the patron saint was toasted in silence.

The President in the absence of the Hon. Secretary, intimated that the following telegram had been sent to kindred societies at the East:—Chief Whitehead and brother Scots greet brother Scots.—David Wood, Secretary.

In reply, the following were received:—
From Tientsin.—From brother Scots, Tientsin. Happy are we a' together; happy may be our day—Mayday.
From Shanghai.—Chief Addis and Shanghai Scots greet brother Scots. Guid luck too ye.—Lindsay, Secretary.
From Yokohama.—Chief Mitchell and brother Scots greetings.—McClure.

From Amoy.—Amoy Scots greet brother Scots to their Hongkong brothers. From Singapore.—The kindly greetings of Chief Whitehead and Hongkong brother Scots received with pleasure. Here all the Scots are Chiefs, and all about beat wishes for a joyful St. Andrew's night.
From Penang.—Chief Whitehead and brother Scots greet brother Scots. What's like us?—A. Brown, Secretary.

From Madras.—Madras Scots reciprocate greeting.
From Manila.—Best wishes for a very jolly reunion to-night to Chief Whitehead, Secretary Wood, and all friends assembled.—MacKay.

From Manila.—St. Andrew's Society, Manila, send greetings to brother Scots, and wish them a braw night.
From Nagasaki.—Chief Crowe and brother Scots greet you.
From Kobe.—Chief Miller and Scots send greetings.
Batavia.—Brother Scots reciprocate kind greetings.—Kirkpatrick.

Fochow.—Fochow Scots desire reciprocal greetings.

It was not till a late hour in the morning that the dance was brought to a close by the singing of 'Auld Lang Syne,' and the general verdict on parting company was that the ball had been highly successful. No small amount of credit is due to the Hon. Secretary, Mr. D. Wood, and it is a matter of extreme regret that he was prevented from participating in the enjoyment he had worked so hard to impart. The Convention of the various Committees also deserve praise for their untiring efforts to make everyone comfortable and happy, and the Stewards were also here, there and everywhere seeing to it that the enjoyment of everyone. A special word of praise is due to Mr. Archibald Reid, the Convenor of the Supper and Wine Committee, who, in addition to his own arduous duties, undertook the supervision of numerous details which would have fallen to the lot of the Hon. Secretary had he been present.

The Committees and their convenors each and all of whom willingly contributed their share towards the success of the Ball are as follows:—
Invitation Committee—Mr. David Wood, Hon. Secretary (Convenor), Hon. J. H. S. Stewart, C.M.G., Hon. J. J. Bell, Hon. W. Chatham, Hon. John Thurburn, Hon. H. W. Forbes, Trefus, Hon. T. H. Whitehead, Commander S. E. Erskine, Capt. Dickson, Lieut. Bennett, R.A. Lieut. Macdonald, R.A. Messrs. J. C. Peter, D. Gillies, H. W. Robertson, R. L. Richardson, D. R. Law, C. W. F. Playfair, C. W. Dickson, C. W. Shaw, C. W. Cruickshank, R. F. Johnston, and R. Mitchell.

Supper and Wine.—Messrs. Archibald Reid (Convenor), T. F. Hough, W. D. Graham, H. F. Carmichael, W. D. Braidwood, W. Kidd, A. C. Moir, W. Ramsey, J. Rodger, T. Skinner, Peter Dow, J. Macintosh, C. Sherrington, A. Ellis, A. McRae, Duncan Clark, W. Malcolm Watson, F. Maitland, C. S. Sharp, J. F. Boulton, T. P. Cochrane, W. Armstrong, A. G. Gordon, Andrew Forbes, James Keenan, G. M. Young, F. S. Fisher, W. A. Sorpan, and the Hon. Secretary.
Decorations.—Messrs. W. C. Jack (Convenor), Donald Macdonald (R. and M.), J. R. Muir, Dr. MacLeod, A. G. Ewing, W. Armstrong, J. W. Kinghorn, J. Kirkwood, A. B. G. Gordon, Lieut. Gordon Ogilvie, R.A. John D. Dickie, Capt. A. Milroy, W. Orchar, J. I. Andrew, John Galt, C. W. Alexander, W. Brand, J. McCubbin, P. W. Sergeant, J. Stapan, R. Henderson, Capt. Dixon, and the Hon. Secretary.
Dancing and Music.—Capt. G. C. Anderson (Convenor), J. H. S. Stewart, C.M.G., W. Nicholson, O. D. Thomson, A. S. B.

clair, Murry Stewart, H. W. Fraser, Donald Macdonald (B. and S.) and the Hon. Secretary.
Card Room.—Messrs T. H. Reid (Convenor), A. Coates, D. Brown, R. J. Gordon, and the Hon. Secretary.
Ladies' Room.—Dr. Gibson (Convenor), and Mr. J. Grant Smith.

CANTON NOTES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

CIRCULATION OF WESTERN LITERATURE.

Canton, November 29.

The booksellers of this city are already anticipating the demand which is steadily growing for books on Western science—mathematics, history, geography, etc.—when it is known more definitely that text books will be required for the Examinations, these books will be at a premium.

It is said that over ten bodies have been recovered from the Fushan. The fire began in the rooms occupied by the clerks of the Chinese Imperial Telegraph service—at least, so the *Wa Ta Yat Po* says.

The rumour of the death of Viceroy T'ao was circulated throughout China, and messages of regret have been received in great numbers. He is better.

The ferment in Fushan has passed away without causing any trouble or inconvenience. Anonymous placards threatening the magistrate and foreign Mission Chapels were posted in various parts of the city. The Roman Catholic priest called the attention of the French Consul to the threatened disturbance, and measures, taken by the Viceroy, at the instance of the Consul, had the desired effect. The whole thing resolves itself into a dispute over the building of the Roman Catholic Church in Fushan, and has absolutely no connection with the foreigners living there. Things are quiet in Fushan.

HONGKONG SHARE MARKET.

In their weekly share report, dated 29th November, Messrs Benjamin, Kelly and Potts write:—

During the past week the share market has exhibited more activity, and a fairly large aggregate business is the result.

Banks.—Hongkong and Shanghai Banks have ruled quiet at 89 1/2, and the rate in London has receded to 2 1/4. Sales of Nationals have been made at 87.

Marine Insurance.—Unions have been placed at 3 1/2, and close with sellers at 3 1/2. Small sales of China Traders at 84 have been effected, and more shares are procurable at the figure. Cantons and Yangtze remain quiet, and are to be had at quotations.

Fire Insurance.—Hongkong Fire and Marine Insurance Co. has changed hands at 85 1/2, and continues steady. Indo-China has fallen to 114 1/2, after prices have been obtained. Douglas Steamships are wanted at 47, after sales at the rate. China and Manilla have been bought at 82.

Star Ferries, old issue, have been dealt in at 24 1/2. Shell Transports have buyers at 22 1/2.

Refineries.—The demand for China Sugar reported in our last issue has subsided and a few shares are offering at 15 1/2. Luzons have improved and business at 81 is reported.

Mining.—Pamun, after sales at 82 1/2, have advanced to 85, at which rate shares are in request. Rauba have further declined, and are offering at 81 1/2. Jebebus have dropped to 84, and can be procured at this figure.

Docks, Wharfs and Godowns.—Hongkong and Wharfs Docks ruled quiet throughout the week, and shares are in the market at 32 1/2. Kowloon Wharfs have been dealt in at 36. Parnams are down to 24 1/2, but at this figure shares are wanted.

Land, Hotels and Building.—Hongkong Lands have been bought at 19 1/2. Kowloon Lands have weakened and are offering at 34. West Point keep firm with buyers at 11 1/2. Hongkong Hotels have changed hands at 11 1/2, and have fallen to 10 1/2, after sales at the rate. The latest quotations of which are as follows:—Ewa's 46, International 11 1/2, 20, Lion-Kung-Mow's 11 1/2, Soy Chees 11 1/2, 200 and Yahlhongs 11 1/2.

Cotton Mills.—Hongkong Cottons have been parted with at 11 1/2 and 11 1/2. Shanghai Mills, the latest quotations of which are as follows:—Ewa's 46, International 11 1/2, 20, Lion-Kung-Mow's 11 1/2, Soy Chees 11 1/2, 200 and Yahlhongs 11 1/2.

Cigar Companies.—Philippine Tobaccos have changed hands at 11 1/2. Island Cements have been bought at 32. A. S. Watsons are wanted at 11 1/2. Electric, old, have been disposed of at 11 1/2, and transactions of Dairy Farms at 11 have taken place. Campbell Moores have been sold at 21.

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"That this Meeting approves the proposal for utilizing the Company's Praya Reclamation land (Remaining Portion of Marine Lot No. 7) by the erection of a building thereon."

C. MOONEY, Secretary.

Hongkong, November 30, 1901. 2447

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Hongkong, November 28, 1901. 2423

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Hongkong, November 25, 1901. 2400

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